Executive Proclamation State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, On May 23, 1950, a boy child was born and christened Doug Leon Smith; and,

WHEREAS, Doug grew to manhood in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, and received a diploma from Washington High School and is earning his B.A. at the University of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Doug married Barbara Ann Dirks on June 1, 1984, and they have been blessed with one cat--jingle berry, skipper, tapper, slut, etc.; and,

WHEREAS, Doug is employed as a Pierre policeman and is also a part-time student, but his usefulness is drawing quickly to a close as he approaches the age of Geritol, dentures, prunes and Medicare; and,

WHEREAS, Doug Smith has reached his FORTIETH birthday, an event which will end his trustworthiness and relegate his social life to rocking chairs and lap runs: and.

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to proclaim to all of South Dakota that Doug Smith is just plain OLD:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 23, 1990, as

DOUG LEON SKITH DAY

in South Dakota, and I urge all of Doug's many friends and relatives to mock him and rub it in, because he is now a member in good standing of the "Over-the-Hill Gang."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Third Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety

MECKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

LOUCE HAZELTINE, SELRETARY OF STATE